

State of Rhode Island  
Department of Administration

**INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

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Office of Accounts and Control

**TO:** Chief Payroll Officers

**DATE:** January 26, 2009

**FROM:** Marc Leonetti State Controller

**SUBJECT: Distribution of Employee W-2 Forms  
CPO 09-06**

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The Office of Accounts and Control will distribute employee W-2 forms for 2008 to state agency payroll offices. You, in turn, will be responsible to distribute them to the employees of your agency. It is planned that we have the W-2 forms available for pick up on Wednesday, January 28, 2009.

A notification will be sent via email to all payroll offices when the W-2 forms are available to be picked up by a staff member of your department/agency. The following procedures will be implemented for distribution of employee W-2 forms for 2008:

- You are to provide the name of the employee assigned to pick up the employee W-2 forms from the Office of Accounts and Control. Please send via e-mail to Lee Cadorette ([LeeC@gw.doa.state.ri.us](mailto:LeeC@gw.doa.state.ri.us)) the name of your agency and the name of the employee assigned to pick up the W-2 forms for your agency.
- A state employee photo identification card must be displayed by the staff member that picks up the W-2 forms for your department/agency. If your agency does not issue photo identification cards to employees, the person assigned to pick up will have to display a state driver's license with photo.
- The employee assigned to pick up the employee W-2 forms, will be required to sign a log confirming that they have received your agency's forms from the Office of Accounts and Control.

These procedures are being implemented to insure that sensitive personal data of employees is protected from improper distribution.